18 October 2004

Reference: F-2004-01849

Dear

We have received your 24 July 2004 Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request for information or records on the 11 September 2001 World Trade Center attack, and subsequent investigation. We assigned your request the number referenced above. Please refer to this number in future correspondence about this request.

For your information, the FOIA authorizes federal agencies to collect fees for records services. You will note on the enclosed fee schedule that we charge search fees, including computer time where indices are computerized, and copying costs for releasable documents. In accordance with Section (a) of the schedule, search fees are assessable even if no records are found or, if found, we determine that they are not releasable. This means you will be charged even if our search results are negative or if we determine that no information is releasable under the FOIA. Fee payment checks must be drawn in U.S. dollars on a United States Bank or branch thereof. Payment cannot be accepted for checks drawn on a foreign bank.

Before we can begin processing your request, we must receive your commitment to pay fees incurred under the conditions stated above. The search fees for each item in a request are usually about \$150.

We will hold your request in abeyance for 60 days from the date of this letter pending receipt of your fee commitment.

Sincerely,

Scott Koch Information and Privacy Coordinator

Enclosure

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